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LEHIGH AND RANDOLPH-MACON DEFEATED

THE ANNUAL EASTER DANCES TO TAKE PLACE THIS WEEK

German Club and Sigma Phi Epsilon and Kappa
Sigma Fraternities to Entertain

This is the week for the devotees of dancing as well as the baseball fan. The Easter Germans will be held on Friday, Saturday and Monday nights. This is somewhat later than usual but the dances have been postponed on account of the game at Hampden-Sidney.

The members of the Sigma Phi Epsilon fraternity will be the hosts at the opening dance on Friday night. Saturday, after the Richmond College baseball game, the German Club will hold its Easter German; and on Monday night the reign of Terpsichore will be brought to a close with the dance given by the Kappa Sigma fraternity. As the dance Saturday must close by twelve o'clock it is to be begun at eight but the other dances will start at the usual time.

This is the first time three dances have been given at Easter and it is expected that they will rival the beauty of the final Germans. Many visiting girls will be present, and alumni from all parts of the state are expected back at this time.

ORATOR CHOSEN

Thursday night the preliminary contest for the selection of the representative for the State Oratorical Contest was held in Chapel. A. L. Maddox and I. W. Robertson were the only contestants and the judges chose Robertson to represent William and Mary. Both speakers knew their orations and delivered them well. The subject of the winning oration was "The Protectorate" while that of Maddox was "The Price of Progress."

The state contest is to be held at Washington and Lee this year on May 5th.

William McLean, who is a theological student at Mt. Union College, has resigned the captaincy of the baseball team because Saturday games prevented the proper preparation of his sermons for Sunday.

Indian Nine Returns to Form and Holds Opponents Scoreless

CAPTAIN GARNETT AND ADDINGTON PITCH AIR-TIGHT BALL

Two Runs Cause Lehigh's Only Defeat of Season
While Four Counters are Garnered Off Wood-
fin's Delivery in Championship Game.

In the fastest game played by the Indians this season William and Mary defeated Lehigh University, of Pennsylvania, on Cary Field Thursday afternoon 2 to 0. It was in the third inning that the Northerners were scored on. "Jack" Combs, first up, singled to the center garden. Heflin was out on a fly to shortstop. Geddy sacrificed. Combs taking second. On Newton's single the big catcher went to third. Newton started for second and pilfered the Keystone sack, while Combs completed the double steal with the first counter. Addington tripled, driving a long fly between right and center, scoring Newton. M. Williams was robbed of a hit by a wonderful single-handed catch of a line drive by Shortstop Fishburne.

The game was live and interesting all the way through. The Pennsylvanians did some clever fielding, while the varsity played the best fielding game it has put up this season.

In the sixth frame the Orange and Black came near scoring again. Newton walked, but was thrown out at second on Ray Addington's hard hit ball at the pitcher. "Pete" Williams was safe on the shortstop's error. Goslee drove a long fly to left but the fielder was under it. Stryker drove a hot one to Pitcher Twombly, which he managed to handle in time to throw "Polly" out at first.

Lehigh had its best chance to score in the sixth. J. Twombly singled and stole second. Fishburne was safe on Heflin's error. Ackborn drove a speedy one to Addington and the Hoosier threw Twombly out at third. Rowle drove sharply to center but Geddy was waiting for the hit. Winkbots drew free transportation. With three on Addington forced Lees to pop up to Heflin.

Ray Addington pitched a steady game for the Indians and was always

tight in the pinches. His work in holding one of the largest northern universities to five hits was indeed noteworthy. The entire Orange and Black aggregation displayed aggressiveness and clever ball playing.

Lees caught a good game for Lehigh, while J. Twombly was the star of the game in batting, getting three hits in five trips to the plate.

The box score gives the details:

Wm. and Mary	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Heflin, 3b	4	0	1	2	2	1
Geddy, cf	3	0	0	3	0	0
Newton, lf	2	1	1	1	0	0
Addington, p	4	0	1	0	4	0
M. Williams, 1b	3	0	1	12	0	1
Goslee, rf	3	0	0	3	0	0
Stryker, 2b	2	0	0	0	4	0
P. Williams, ss	3	0	0	1	2	0
Combs, c	3	1	1	5	0	0
Total	27	2	5	27	12	2
Lehigh Univ.	AB	R	H	O	A	E
J. Twombly, 1b	5	0	3	10	0	0
Fishburne, ss	3	0	0	4	2	2
Ackborn, 3b	4	0	0	0	0	0
Rowle, rf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Winkbots, lf	2	0	1	3	0	0
Lees, c	4	0	1	4	2	0
Chenoweth, 2b	4	0	0	1	3	0
Connell, cf	4	0	0	2	0	0
W. Twombly, p	2	0	0	0	3	0
Totals	32	0	5	24	10	2

Score by innings: R H E
Wm. and Mary 002 000 00x--2
Lehigh University 000 000 000--0

Summary: Two-base hit--Winkbots Three-base hit--Addington. Sacrifice hits--Geddy, Goslee. Stolen bases--Combs, Newton, J. Twombly, Lees. Double play--Stryker to P. Williams to M. Williams. Hits--off Addington, 5 in 9 innings; off Twombly, 5 in 8 innings. Bases on balls--off Addington, 4; off Twombly, 2. Batters hits--by Twombly, M. Williams. Struck out--by Addington, 5; by Twombly, 3. Left on bases--William and Mary, 6; Lehigh University, 7. Time, 1:30. Umpires, Hubbard and Marable.

With "Big Chief" Garnett in rare form and receiving airtight support

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ACADEMY WINS FIRST GAME FROM BLACKSTONE BUT LOSES SECOND

Cadets Stop Winning Streak of Papooses After
Dropping Abbreviated Game

On Monday last the William and Mary Academy nine defeated the Blackstone Military Academy aggregation by a 1 to 0 score on Cary Field. The game was halted by rain after five innings had been played. The lone run of the game was shoved across by the locals in the first inning when, with Crigler on first, as the result of an error, Ellis slashed out a triple. The visitors only chance to score came in the third inning when Bruce hit to right field with a man on second. The runner, however, was caught in his attempt to score.

Score by innings: R H E
Blackstone M. A. 000 00--0 3 3
W. & M. A. 100 0x--1 3 1
Batteries: W. & M. Academy--
Ellis and Garber; Blackstone
Academy, M. Goode and Ballard.

SECOND GAME

After having played Hampton High School, Blackstone returned and was again met by the Little Indians on Wednesday. This time the visitors came out with the long end of the score, winning 10 to 4. The Papooses scored once in the first frame and the score was tied in the second when Bruce patted out a homer over the left field enclosure.

The Cadets shoved over six runs in the fourth and three again in the eighth frame, but the locals were able to score again only in the seventh when by errors and a hit they pushed over three men. Each side was retired in regular order in the ninth.

Score by innings: R H E
B. M. A. 010 600 030--10 10 5
W. & M. A. 100 000 300--4 4 3

Batteries: W. & M. Academy--
Ellis and Garber; Blackstone Academy--
Bruce and Ballard.

The humor of the "Purple Cow" of Williams College has been appreciated by the The New York Tribune to such extent that the staff has been invited to edit the humorous column of the Tribune some issue in May.

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THE NEW STAFF

Last Tuesday The Flat Hat staff nominated the staff of 1916-17 and the following names were ratified by the student body Thursday morning:

C. R. Heflin, Editor-in-Chief; T. G. Pullen, Business Manager; Assistant Editors, H. C. Chandler, I. W. Robertson, W. M. Tuck, R. M. Murphy; Assistant Business Manager, B. H. Seekford. F. D. Ribble and W. C. West of the present staff will hold their positions next session.

Mr. Heflin, as Assistant Editor this session, completes his first year on the staff, and will undoubtedly continue his good work as Editor-in-Chief. We have no hesitancy in turning over to him and Mr. Pullen the destiny of The Flat Hat, and with their capable corps of assistants we feel sure that they will bring before the students the news in which they are interested.

THE TENNIS TEAM

Before the month of May has passed the first intercollegiate tennis tournament of the East Virginia Association will have been played. Yet our tennis manager has not marked off our courts or put them in any condition for championship work. How can a team be expected to play without practice? At least two courts should be put in shape and reserved during certain hours for candidates for the team, and practice in earnest should be

begun at once. It is late now, and we can't be expected to win hardly a point, much less a game, if some activity is not shown by those in charge.

A WORD TO THE WISE

The Business Department is at its wits end. Bills continually come due and subscriptions remain unpaid. The staff has decided upon a plan which we hesitated to put into effect but which we finally reached after trying all others. Forty student subscriptions remain unpaid. If at the end of two weeks any of these are still unpaid we shall publish a list of all subscriptions which are then due. The printer doesn't like to "set" lists of names, and we hope he will not have to work long with this list.

TRACK

Anyone who read the sporting sheet of the Sunday "Times-Dispatch" noticed the account of the intercollegiate track meet to be held at Richmond College on May 13th. What is William and Mary going to do at this meet? Will we have a track team worthy the name? A number of men in College have the speed; they lack only the training. It is upon these men that William and Mary's hopes depend. Coach Draper is ready at any time to give instruction to the track candidates, but he can't do the running himself. A squad of ten men will be carried to Richmond, but only under the conditions that they are prepared to do their best work, and can stand the pace of intercollegiate trial heats.

What has happened to the monograms for our championship basketball team? And how long are we to wait for the championship cup?

It is certainly discouraging, not only to the team but to the men who stay in the stands as well, to see only a handful of men at an athletic rally. After a notable victory Thursday not forty men were in Chapel Friday night to prepare for the championship game the next day. Those who were not present must surely feel ashamed after seeing what the team did without their help. The men on the side-lines have got to work hard and practice too, if they expect to hold their own. A number of men at the last game were not yelling at all. We do not know why, but at a rally is the place to learn, and there will be at least one rally this week in preparation for what will perhaps be the deciding game of the season. Don't let the nine men on the field do it all.

STANDING OF THE TEAMS

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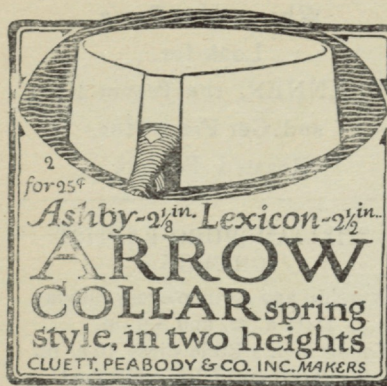
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NOTED OF THE INDIANS

The Varsity left this morning for Hampden-Sidney where the third game of the championship season will be played. Tonight they stay at Farmville and go out to Hampden-Sidney tomorrow morning.

The aggressiveness displayed by the Indians in the two games last week was certainly encouraging.

Goslee made a beautiful catch in the Lehigh game when he went over into right center and took the ball from behind Geddy.

It is indeed unfortunate that Ray Addington is ineligible for the championship games. However, his services as assistant coach prove a big help to the team.

The Academy had won five straight games when Blackstone returned Wednesday and administered the first defeat of the season.

M. H. Williams drove in three of the four runs in the Randolph-Macon game and scored the other one himself.

All of the three hits made off Garnett were drives over second base.

Cap. didn't pitch much like a sick man Saturday. His fast ball had a hop on it that made it hard for Zehmer to handle.

In four different innings the Indians had the first man up to reach first in the R.-M. game, but they were unable to shove him around.

It was remarkable the number of hard hit balls in the Lehigh game that went directly into the hands of a waiting fielder. Williams had the hardest luck in this when Fishburne made a beautiful one hand catch of his hard drive in the third.

Yap, the Japanese playing third for Lehigh, was forced to remain in the infirmary while here. He met his team at Annapolis and took part in the 8 to 1 defeat of the Navy Saturday.

Saturday the spiders come down for the second engagement. It's up to us to get revenge for the defeat in Richmond. Watch the bulletin board for rally announcements.

Beat Rich.

LEHIGH AND RANDOLPH-MACON DEFEATED

in the pinches, the Indians shut out Randolph-Macon here Saturday 4-0. The victory gives William and Mary a tie with Randolph-Macon for second place in the league.

For three innings neither team threatened to score, but when the Indians came to bat in the fourth, Newton singled and stole second. M. Williams hit to Brittingham who threw wild to first and Newton scored when the ball went into right field. Williams went to second and took third on Stryker's Cincinnati hit when Smith threw late to Brittingham. M. Williams scored a few moments later while Lancaster was throwing P. Williams out at first. After this

stanza the Jackets' pitcher settled down and held the Indians scoreless for three innings.

With two runs to the good, there was little doubt but that the game was safe, but Garnett showed no mercy upon the Aslanders. He became stronger as the game progressed and was invincible in the pinches throughout.

Just to keep the Jackets from thinking that their team is as good as Lehigh's, the home team put two more runs across in the eighth. Heflin was safe no Finney's error and took second on Geddy's out. Newton drove a short single to left advancing Heflin to third. On the next pitch Newton stole second, and both runner's crossed the plate on M. Williams double down the third base line. Garnett retired the Aslanders in order in the ninth.

The next championship game is with Hampden-Sidney at Hampden-Sidney on Wednesday. A victory will give the Indians an undisputed title to second place.

The box score:

W. M. C.	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Heflin, 3b.....	3	1	0	0	5	0
Geddy, cf.....	4	0	0	1	0	0
Newton, lf.....	4	2	2	1	0	0
Williams, M. 1b.....	4	1	2	12	1	0
Goslee, rf.....	3	0	0	0	0	0
Stryker, 2b.....	3	0	1	1	1	1
Williams, P. ss.....	3	0	0	0	1	1
Zehmer, c.....	3	0	1	12	0	0
Garnett, p.....	3	0	0	0	3	1

Total.....30 4 6 27 11 3

R.-M. C.	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Brittingham, 3b.....	4	0	1	0	3	2
Lancaster, ss.....	4	0	1	1	2	0
Finney, lf.....	4	0	1	1	0	1
Butterworth, c.....	4	0	0	4	0	0
Fetwich, rf.....	3	0	0	0	0	0
Moss, cf.....	3	0	0	0	0	0
Corbill, 2b.....	2	0	0	2	6	0
Smith, 1b.....	3	0	0	15	0	0
Woodfin, p.....	3	0	0	1	2	0

Total.....30 0 3 24 13 3

Score by innings: R

W. M. C.	000	200	02x	---4
R. M. C.	000	000	000	---0

Summary: Sacrifice hit---Goslee; stolen bases---Moss, Corbill, Heflin, Newton and Goslee; double play---Corbill to Lancaster to Smith; two base hit---M. Williams; hit by pitcher---by Woodfin, Heflin, by Garnett, Corbill; struck out---by Garnett 11, by Woodfin 2; time 1:50; Umpire, Marable.

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COLLEGE COMMENT

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The General Athletic Association of the University of Virginia has made basket-ball a major sport and the letter awarded will be the same as that in football and baseball.

At Howard College, for the first time a father and two sons are attending school together.

Georgia Tech recently had a meeting to "expurgate" their yells. One yell was discarded in toto.

The State Intercollegiate Prohibition Association met under auspices of Roanoke College on April 14. C. M. Cox of Emory and Henry won first honor in the Annual State Prohibition Oratorical Contest.

The freshman girls of Lafayette must wear the green freshmen hat.

At Ohio State University the periods between classes have been lengthened to ten minutes in order that the students will have time to go around by the walks and will not have to walk on the grass.

At the University of California the women are out for baseball practice.

CHAMPIONSHIP GAMES

April 10—Randolph - Macon 5, Hampden-Sidney, 0.

April 12—Richmond College 9, William and Mary 2.

April 22—William and Mary 2, Randolph-Macon 0.

Hampden-Sidney 2, Richmond College 7.

April 26—William and Mary vs. Hampden-Sidney at Hampden-Sidney.

Richmond College vs. Randolph-Macon at Ashland.

April 29—William and Mary vs. Richmond College at Williamsburg.

Hampden-Sidney vs. Randolph-Macon, at Ashland.

May 3—Randolph-Macon vs. Richmond College, at Richmond.

May 6—William and Mary vs. Randolph-Macon at Ashland.

Richmond College vs. Hampden-Sidney, at Hampden-Sidney.

May 10—William and Mary vs. Hampden-Sidney at Williamsburg.

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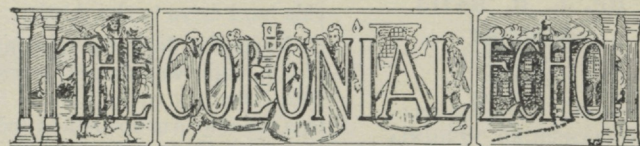
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